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Enclosed for filing is a patent application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of:

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 and David R. Oran  
 For: NET LURKERS

[If continuing application] This application is a ☒ continuation, ☐ divisional, ☐ continuation-in-part of prior application Serial No. 09/710,544, filed November 8, 2000.

Prior application info: Examiner: \_\_\_\_\_ Group Art Unit \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant requests FIG. \_\_\_\_\_ to be published with the application.

Enclosures:

- ☒ Specification (pages 1-11); claims (pages 12-17); abstract (page 18)
- ☒ 9 sheet(s) of drawings
- ☒ Declaration or Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
- ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
- ☐ Incorporation by Reference--The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
- ☐ Deletion of Inventors (signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b))

- ☐ Power of Attorney  
☒ Assignment with cover sheet  
 Assignee Name and Address:  
☐ Certified copy of priority document  
☒ Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i) for Nonpublication  
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Total Claims	41-20	21	x \$ 18	=	378.00
Independent Claims	7-3	4	x \$ 80	=	320.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee			x \$270	=	0.00
TOTAL FILING FEE					\$1,408.00

- ☐ Cancel in this divisional application original claims \_\_\_\_\_ of the prior application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)  
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The invention disclosed in the above-referenced application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication of applications 18 months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. §122(b).



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